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8 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**

9 **CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA, WESTERN DIVISION**

10 JOSEPH A. BARTHOLOMEW,

CASE NO. CV07-1530 CAS (SHx)

11 Plaintiff,

Assigned to:
 Judge Christina A. Snyder
 Courtroom "5"

12 v.

[Case Filed 3/08/07]

13 COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES,
 PHILLIP BRIONES, JOSEPH SALAS,
 14 THOMAS HILL, SGT. QUICHOCHO
 and 20 unknown other named
 15 defendants,

JUDGMENT ON JURY VERDICT

Trial Date: June 3, 2008

16 Defendants.

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 18 **TO ALL PARTIES AND THEIR ATTORNEYS OF RECORD:**

19 The above-entitled action came on regularly for trial on June 3, 2008, at 9:30
 20 a.m., in Courtroom "5" of the Western Division of the Central District of California
 21 of the United States District Court, with The Honorable Christina A. Snyder,
 22 presiding. Plaintiff JOSEPH BARTHOLOMEW was represented by and through
 23 his attorneys of record, Carl E. Douglas, Esq. and Jamon Hicks, Esq. of the Law
 24 Offices of Carl Douglas. Defendants PHILLIP BRIONES, JOSEPH SALAS,
 25 THOMAS HILL, and SERGEANT QUICHOCHO were represented by and through
 26 their attorneys of record, Thomas C. Hurrell, Esq. and Blair Schlechter, Esq., of
 27 Hurrell Cantrall, LLP.
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1 A jury of 8 persons was regularly impaneled and sworn. Witnesses were sworn
 2 and testified. After hearing the evidence and arguments of counsel, the jury was
 3 instructed by the Court and the cause was submitted to the jury with directions to
 4 return a Special Verdict as to the claims against each defendant. The jury
 5 deliberated and thereafter returned to Court on June 11, 2008, with a 8-0 verdict in
 6 favor of defendants PHILLIP BRIONES, JOSEPH SALAS, THOMAS HILL, and
 7 SERGEANT QUICHOCHO.

8 Specifically, the jury found in favor of defendants on the special verdict with
 9 respect to the following question submitted:

11 **QUESTION NO. 1:**

12 Did Defendants Phillip BRIONES, Joseph SALAS, Or Thomas HILL, use
 13 excessive force against JOSEPH BARTHOLOMEW as that term was defined by the
 14 Court?

15 Phillip BRIONES	YES_____	NO__X__
16 Joseph SALAS	YES_____	NO__X__
17 Thomas HILL	YES_____	NO__X__

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 19 The jury did not reach the claims against defendant SERGEANT FRANK
 20 QUICHOCHO, given their findings as to defendants PHILLIP BRIONES, JOSEPH
 21 SALAS and THOMAS HILL. The jury did not reach Questions Nos. 2 through 6
 22 on the special verdict form, given their findings on Question No. 1.

23 It appearing by reason of said verdict that defendants are entitled to judgment
 24 against plaintiff JOSEPH BARTHOLOMEW,

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1 IT IS ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that plaintiff JOSEPH
2 BARTHOLOMEW shall take nothing from defendants PHILLIP BRIONES,
3 JOSEPH SALAS, THOMAS HILL, and SERGEANT QUICHOCHO, and that each
4 side bear its own attorneys' fees and costs.

5 IT IS SO ORDERED.

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7 DATE: July 2, 2008

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10 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE
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